



Lowell Health
Department

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Syringe Collection Program

2021 Calendar Year Summary

Syringes Removed from the Community

Pick-up Requests: 1,612
Proactive Clean-up: 12,312
Community Clean-up Events: 23*

**Please note that the COVID-19 pandemic directly impacted the ability to engage in community clean-up events.*

Program Fast Facts

Incoming Pick-up Requests: 350
Hours Spent on Proactive Cleanups: 2*
Community Clean-up Events Attended: 1*
Community Partners Engaged: 28

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Sharps Disposal Kiosk

458 pounds of sharps were disposed through the Lowell Health Department's sharps disposal kiosk.

Unwanted Medication & Sharps Disposal Days

473 pounds of unwanted sharps were disposed of at two Disposal Day events held in April and October.

Total INDIVIDUAL Syringes Removed from the Community by the Syringe Collection Program Coordinator:

13,947

Total POUNDS of Syringes Disposed of by Community Members:

931

Have Questions? Call the Syringe Collection Program Coordinator at 978-674-1049.